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HISTORICAL.

Gleanings Here, There and Everywhere,

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PORTLAND'S ANCIENT NEWS-PAPERS.

There is one among the attractive objects in Portland of which her citizens can truly feel proud. I refer to her files of newspapers at the Public Library. The vault containing them is about 15x25 feet on the floor, and considerably higher than one can reach. Upon one side are windows protected by iron-clad shutters. All the walls are constructed of brick and cement; the floor of concrete; the ceiling of iron beams and brick arches; the door of iron and double thickness.

Complete files of all the dailies and most all the weekly newspapers are among the deposits. The Christian Mirror, the Portland Transcript are here intimated and many exiles, or, perhaps I should say, many of short lives that "wasted their fragrance on the desert air."

A few days since I examined a few copies hastily of several specimens and made a few extracts which I am going to present to the readers of the Citizen.

What is said in the first part of the "Early History of the Press of Maine" is hard to understand. It seems that for a while every graduate of a printing establishment hereabouts started a public print, and there were early changes of names and "unions" of the "enterprises" so it is very difficult giving credits to what is now found in print appearing a hundred years ago. One of the editors was a cripple and was hauled from place to place by boys in a wagon made for the purpose; another was accidentally drowned; another accidentally shot, while the founder of the old Portland Argus wrote his editorial for a hundred days and performed his newspaper labors in a Connecticut county jail, but no one thinks less of the paper today on the account.

William Browne was a son of a Congregational clergyman. I have a photo of the man when he had become aged. His wife was a sister to the wife of Dr. Robert Southgate of Danston Landing, Scarborough, who were sisters to William King, the first Governor of Maine. Bishop Southgate's labors in Portland culminated in the establishment of St. Luke's Cathedral on State street in Portland, the bishop's first wife being a daughter of William Browne. Following is a copy of an advertisement of William Browne, that appeared Sept. 1st, 1860, and is quite interesting now, a hundred years later.

William Browne offers for sale a handsome assortment of other village and country wares, satin bonnets, and for traveling caps, silk bands and linen gloves for ladies. The goods are offered wholesale or retail at reduced prices. Also 10 boxes of candles; No. 10 England rum; 10 boxes of candles; New England rum; and a few dozen of port wine.

MISS DORIS UPSON

The passing on of this beautiful girl has cast a shadow over our village, for no one could forget her who had once seen that lovely face.

So many kind inquiries have been made, so much regret expressed, and such deep sympathy is felt for her parents and Mr. Upson that we feel we are writing to a large circle of friends as we tell them the story of this departure from earth.

Miss Upson arrived home from a summer in Europe with her parents, in perfect health and spirits. There was a week of young happiness in the welcoming home by her circle of friends, and then she was suddenly stricken by the most acute form of infantile paralysis. So terrible was the attack that she knew no suffering after the very first, and with a perfectly clear brain and unchanged voice she lived through ten serene days, happy and even merry.

Not knowing the nature of her mortal disease, she had no fear, and there was no "sadness of farewell," but after a night of comfortable rest, she simply fell asleep.

Nothing more exquisitely beautiful was ever taken away from longing eyes and aching hearts than Doris as she lay in a bed of roses in a rose-embowered room.

These were rare qualities in that young girl. A generosity so instinctive as to come forth upon any appeal for help.

No word of envy or detraction marred her influence, and a recognition of the value of others was quite as ready. She was often too self-deprecatory and it was touching to see her respect for the qualities in self-supporting girls which she felt her life of luxury had not given her. She had a noble nature, and after daily associations with her in the close relation of family life for months it is not hard to believe that she deserved and received promotion.

Surely there was tender love in the dark background for her death was merciful, as the dread disease left no hope for a complete recovery. This girl, so passionately loved by her parents, so especially dear to her uncle, (with whom all Bethel sympathies) was followed by "goodness and mercy" all through her sweet, short life of nineteen years. And with God we leave her, blessed child.

"All that I have seen, teaches me to trust the unseen."—Emerson.

M. T. U.

BOYS' CONFERENCE

Rumford, Oct. 24-26

The first annual Boys' Conference of Oxford County will be held at Rumford, Oct. 24-26. The purpose of the Conference is to help the boys of Oxford County to a nobler and clearer manhood. It is to be held under the auspices of the State Y. M. C. A.

On the list of speakers are: Hon. Carl E. Milliken of Island Falls, Jefferson C. Smith and A. A. Hoad of Waterville, C. F. Hosmer of Keenebank, and S. J. Robbins of New Jersey.

A banquet will be served Friday evening in the Baptist vestry. Saturday afternoon will be devoted to recreation and a program of sports has been arranged. Saturday evening there will be addresses illustrated by motion pictures. There will be mass meetings Sunday afternoon and evening in the Oxford House.

Entertainment will be furnished free of charge and reduced rates have been granted on the railroads. An enrollment fee of 50 cents will be charged to pay the expenses of the program. It is hoped that a large number of boys will attend.

A TRIBUTE.

Mrs. Minnie Mayberry Godwin Stearns, wife of Adolph Stearns, passed to the "Home beautiful" last Friday morning. During weeks and months of weariness and suffering she manifested a wonderful courage and trust. All that a devoted mother, husband, friends and physician could do could not stay the disease from which she had rallied twice before.

She graduated from Gould's Academy in 1901 and taught several terms of school and in 1904 married Adolph Stearns.

Possessed of a sweet and lovable disposition she had a large circle of friends and the same disposition combined with mother love radiated sunshine in her home. Devoted to her husband and three little children, Adeline, Dorothy and Adeline, and her mother with whom she lived, she made an ideal home. She never saw the faults of others but always the good, and by her courage and cheerfulness was an inspiration to others less fortunate.

When the test came and she knew the struggle against disease would end in defeat, still she was unshaken and showed the same Christian fortitude that had been hers in the years she had fought so bravely to win, and with the many earthly ties which bound her here she could say, "It is well."

Mrs. Stearns was the daughter of the late Albert Mayberry and Mae Andrus Mayberry and was thirty-one years of age. When her mother married the late Horatio Godwin she was taken to the home as an own daughter and loved and cared for with the devotion Mr. Godwin gave his own and to whom she gave an affectionate affection.

Funeral services were held at five o'clock Sunday afternoon, her grave resting place being in the cemetery. Rev. Mr. Chapman, and Rev. W. C. Curtis officiating. The flowers were sent by friends of the family and the church. The funeral was a beautiful service and a host of friends gathered out to the funeral and little children and to the mother, whose loss is sorely felt.

E. W. U.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

On account of sickness illness of one of the members of the Eastern Star Chapter the special meeting which was to be held Friday night for the entertainment of the Grand Chapter will be postponed.

A reception was tendered Mrs. E. L. Bowler and daughter, Mary, last Thursday at the home of Prof. and Mrs. E. L. Hester. The neighbors of Mrs. Bowler and the members of the Ladies Club were guests. Mrs. Bowler and Mary left for Providence, R. I. Saturday, carrying with them the best wishes of a host of friends.

The Columbia Club will hold its next meeting Friday afternoon, Oct. 19, at three o'clock, at the home of Mrs. E. L. Hester. As it is always more interesting to begin club work at the opening of the year, a cordial invitation is extended to all who contemplate joining the club this year to be present at the meeting. Please notice the date of the meeting.

THE CITIZEN WANTS COLUMN.

IF YOU WANT TO, IT WILL PAY YOU TO.

HARVEST FAIR

M. E. Church, Oct. 16

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church, Bethel, will hold its annual Harvest Fair and Harvest Supper at Odd Fellows' Hall, Thursday afternoon and evening of this week. The Baby Show will also be held in that building from 2.30 to 4.00 o'clock.

Fruit, vegetables, fancy and domestic articles, candy and ice cream, besides other things, will be on sale at the various tables.

At 6.30 the harvest supper will be served. You know that every generation strives to outdo the previous one. So the vegetables of 1913 intend to surpass their ancestors, at this supper. They are ready to die in the attempt. The bees say they are willing to be eaten, but they are not willing to be beaten; so just leave off the "h" when speaking of this. The pumpkins declare they are "some pumpkins" in spite of the drought. The cabbages are so excited they have nearly lost their heads over the affair, but are trying hard to keep them till supper time. The "taters" are up to their eyes in work, over-seeing everything, and the turnips intend to have things done to a turn. All of which means that the harvest supper bids fair to be "the best ever."

Be sides the "baked vittles" and "pumpkin" pies, there will be baked beans and brown bread, pies and cakes and lots of other goodies.

Some one who heard "The Campbells are coming" played for several hours without intermission or variations, expressed a wish that "The Campbells would hurry up and come." We are sure that you wish the pumpkins and their companions would hurry up and come too. They will be on the spot at the appointed time, and they hope you will all "hurry up and come" also.

Remember it's this week, Oct. 16, and that the supper is only 25 cents. Thursday is Harvest Fair day, whatever the weather may be.

RALLY DAY.

Next Sunday morning, Oct. 19, at the usual church hour, the Sunday School of the Congregational Church will hold their Rally Day Exercises. It is hoped that a large audience will be present. A special invitation is extended to parents and friends of the church and any who can come.

The following is the program:

Voluntary.
Rev. W. C. Curtis.
Herrick's Orchestra.
By Primary Class.
Gardner Herrick.
Address.
Vivian Wright.
Primary Class.
Mr. W. J. Upson.
Mr. Hanson.
Congregation.
Mr. Wm. Bingham.
Two Chorus.
By the different classes.
Mr. and Mrs. Wright.
Offertory.
Herrick's.

TEACHING POSITIONS IN MAINE.

According to figures just compiled in the office of the State superintendent of schools it is found that during the last school year there were 4,932 different teaching positions in the public elementary schools of Maine. Of these 315 were required to be filled by two teachers. As an indication of the character of the position of teacher it should be noted that 603 different men teachers were employed in the year, while 4,329 different women were employed to fill the 4,617 places open to women teachers in elementary schools. Since 2,353 teachers occupied the same positions for the entire year it would seem that practically few of the schools of Maine were subjected to enormous changes during the year. It is commenting on this fact that the State superintendent of schools expresses the opinion that schools are generally far less profitable when under such conditions of frequent change than they are when under a reasonable permanent teaching force.

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His church affiliation was with the old First Parish, where members of his family have attended many years.

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WATERFORD FAIR

The World's Fair was held at North Waterford last Friday and Saturday, and if a large crowd of people and fairs make a fair it was surely a great success. The admission to the ground is free and the people for miles around gather for an annual visit, and incidentally take in the shows. It is really "Old Home Week" for Waterford.

The school house which is used for an exhibition hall contained a number of exhibits of fancy articles, vegetables, fruits, and dairy products.

Up the hill a little way from the school house is Old Fellows' Hall where dancing was going on afternoon and evening and seemed to be one of the most popular attractions of the fair.

Dinners and suppers were served by the Ladies' Circle of the Congregational Church in the vestry of the church. Friday was horse day and a number of good looking colts and horses were shown. Saturday was cattle day and many nice yokes of oxen were seen, especially those of A. B. Morrill & Son who seemed to have everything his own way in the pulling matches.

The officers were: President, Riley McKee; secretary, M. F. Knight; treasurer, B. J. Flint; hall supt. C. R. Nelson; cattle, Charles Saunders; marsh, W. H. Kilgore.

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WANT COLUMN.

Put your Want and Sale notices here and they will be read in 3,000 Oxford County homes—1 line: 1 week, 25c. 3 weeks 50c.

FOR RENT.

In Bethel Village a story and half house with stable connected. Hot and cold water, electric lights, coal furnace, garden and pasture. Inquire at CITIZEN OFFICE, Bethel, Maine.

A. L. MORGAN

Respectfully solicits your trucking, express, and baggage transfer. Telephone, 13-2. Clark St. 9-18-51-p.

FRIZZELL'S PHOTO PLAT

Lilla E. Frizzell, owner and manager; Herbert Collins, traveling manager.

AT ODEON HALL, OCT. 17.

A two hour interesting and amusing exhibition at most popular prices. Watch this space next week for announcement of another exciting feature in three reels.

FOR SALE.—One pair grey mares,

8 yrs. old, 2,700 lbs.; 1 pr. heavy harness; 8 cows; 10 pigs, 6 wks. old; 9 colts; 2 wks. old. BEVIN HUTCHINSON, Bethel, Maine.

WANTED:—All the Fur Coats, Sets

and Muffs that need alteration, repairing or new linings, at once. Also, new fur garments made to order. Work done by experts at moderate prices. MURPHY'S, Gor. Lisbon and Ash Sts., Lewiston, Maine.

FOR SALE.—One good all round

horse. Single or double. Weight, 1250 pounds. Inquire of W. E. COOLIDGE, Bethel, Maine.

WANTED.—A few good laborer

sleep. DOUGLAS CUSHING, Bethel, Maine.

FOR SALE.—One portable wood

burner in A. No. 1 condition at a bargain. Inquire of E. H. YOUNG, Bethel, Maine.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors who so kindly helped us in our late bereavement, also for the beautiful flowers, the music and the minister for his comforting words.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lyon, Mr. Fred Haggard, Miss Mildred Haggard.

CARD OF THANKS.

Dear Friends:—We cannot tell you how much we appreciate all you have done for us in our hours of grief, and in all the days and months that have passed. The acts and words and letters of cheer, and to all who so kindly cared or offered to care for the dear little ones, and for the many beautiful flowers that brought beauty and cheer to our sad hearts, and to Mr. Curtis and Mr. Chapman for their words of comfort, may God's richest blessings come to you.

Adeline J. Stearns, Mae A. Godwin.

kind, and often took measures to alleviate it, not mentioned and rarely known to others. His word was never doubted and his final was the New England integrity and plain speaking which distinguished his fathers before him.

Mr. Thomas was well known in Oxford County as a member of his large land holdings in this section.

STUNG.

"How soon do you start on your trip to Europe?" asked a man of a friend who chanced to meet one morning. "I had to give it up," replied the other.

"Why not?" inquired the first. "Well, you see," said the man, "my wife went and ordered her clothes for the trip, and when she came home she found that the money was gone."—New York.

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THE HOME CIRCLE.

Pleasant Reveries—A Column
Dedicated to Tired Mothers
as they Join the Home
Circle at Evening Tide.

MENUS IN THE MAKING.

Probably no one of the many duties a housekeeper has to perform demands more thought than that of planning three meals a day. So many considerations enter in; the pocketbook, the needs of the family from a dietetic standpoint and by so means the least important one of flavor and taste.

The wise woman, knowing how much money she has to spend for food materials, divides it into daily portions, so that if she goes over the amount planned for one day she can cut down on the next day's allowance. Occasionally it is wise to do this; if, for instance, there are guests and one wishes to prepare a company dinner, the family can on the next day have less expensive meat or dessert. But the same wise woman does not let the family realize the economy. And always, where economy is necessary, extra care is also needed to make the seasoning a little better, or the dish more attractive than usual. And right here let it be said that the best values in perishable food material can be had only by going to market and selecting fresh vegetables and fruits which are especially good that day. The city markets offer many tempting vegetables and fruits out of season, but as a rule it is wiser not to purchase.

Regarding the dietetic side of the subject, unless one studies it a great deal, the taste will be found a good guide in a healthy normal condition. For instance, no one could eat and enjoy the combination of potatoes, rice, and macaroni all in one meal, and if they were eaten, discomfort would follow, owing to an over amount of starchy food.

Food may be grouped into general divisions and a knowledge of what these are and just what are their special functions in the nutrition of the body, is of valuable assistance to the householder catering for the health and appetites of her family.

The first group includes the meats, fish, eggs, nuts, cheese, milk and vegetable like peas, beans and lentils. These contain a notable proportion of protein material, which builds tissue. These foods are especially important to early youth. A liberal supply in the diet of a high school girl who may have a tendency to break down from nervous tension and overwork may prevent an actual illness, and tide over what is often a period of physical weakness.

Starches and sugars are essentially heat and energy foods. There are countless varieties of each, all having the same food value. Sugars form one of the quickest sources of heat and energy.

In making out a menu, remember

that the first and last impressions are the ones which the person remembers. Therefore, the soup and dessert should be satisfactory. Very often the soup may be omitted and a salad put in. Never serve cream soup if a substantial dinner is to follow; it is too heavy. A cream soup and a salad with bread and butter and a simple dessert make a luncheon menu, pleasing to almost everyone.

Never repeat in a menu the same food; for instance, do not serve tomato soup and tomato salad, or tomatoes as a vegetable. Do not serve a creamed vegetable when the meat has a sauce or a rich gravy; and, of course, do not serve two sauces in the same course.

In planning a meal, think how each course will look and taste, and choose those combinations which naturally go together. An Englishman once remarked when eating chicken and corn, "How this chicken would have enjoyed this corn!" If one food is lacking in flavor, choose one with a decided flavor to go with it. Fish, for instance, especially boiled cod or halibut, needs an acid or piquant sauce.

I recall a combination which was very unsatisfactory, consisting of boiled cod, mashed potatoes, and baked macaroni—and everything slipped down without "catching" the palate, and tasted alike. If the potatoes had been fried, or the macaroni served with tomatoes, the result would have been better.

Many housekeepers make this mistake of serving too many good things in one meal; another is serving a dish too often.

Menu-making demands constant thought, but the results are well worth the trouble; for everyone must eat, and health and happiness depend largely on the kind of food eaten.—Exchange.

EAST BETHEL.

Mr. Herman Cole is boarding at Mr. Fred C. Bean's.

Mr. John Howe was a week end guest of friends at Richardson Hollow, Greenwood.

Mrs. Ella Bean has gone to Norway for a few weeks, dress making.

Miss Bertha Cole visited her home here over Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Ella Farwell was the week end guest of her friend, Miss Rena George, at Locke's Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Bean and Mrs. Will Bartlett attended Fryeburg Fair last week, going by auto with Judge Geo. F. Rich of Berlin, N. H.

Mrs. L. C. Bartlett, Mrs. M. L. Hastings, Mrs. M. E. Kimball, Miss Ella Farwell and Russell Swan attended State Grange at Norway, Oct. 9, and received the 6th degree.

Alder River Grange held regular session Friday evening with good attendance, one visitor present from Rumford Grange, and one from Eastville Grange, Newport, Me. One candidate received the third and fourth degrees.

A program of music and readings was presented and refreshments served.

Mr. D. L. Joslin of Norway will hold preaching services at East Bethel church Sunday, Oct. 19, at 2 p. m.

Worms in Children.



Worms are a danger to the health of a child. Make sure that such is not the case with your child.

Signs of worms in children are: Deflated stomach, swollen upper lip, sour stomach, offensive breath, hard and full belly with occasional gripings and pains about the navel, pale face, of leaden tint, eyes heavy and dull, twitching eyelids, itching of the nose, itching of the rectum, short dry cough, grinding of the teeth, little red points sticking out on tongue, starting during sleep, slow fever.

If at all doubtful, make certain of health by using Dr. Tru's Elixir, Family Laxative and Worm Expeller. It's the one best thing for regulating the stomach and bowels and expelling worms. At your druggist's, 50c, 50c and \$1.00. Advice free. Special treatment for tapeworms. Send for book.

Auburn, Maine. Dr. Tru.

BUCKFIELD.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Irish, Mrs. Ella Mitchell, Mrs. Grace Parlaton, and Miss Amy Shaw were among those who attended the music festival in Portland last week.

Miss Myra Irish left for Rolland, Cal., Wednesday, where she will spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. H. G. Clement.

Ward Maxam has been with Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Lunt for a few days.

Mrs. J. H. Young has been taking care of Mrs. Louise Ricker for a week. H. A. Murch is about to build an addition to his shop, to be used for a stock room.

A movement was recently started to purchase the pasture back of the school house to be converted into an athletic park, and a paper was circulated to raise a part of the purchase price. A special town meeting was called to see if the town would accept the gift of the land, and to raise money for grading, etc. Having voted favorably, work was begun Monday, and there will be a fine ball ground, tennis courts and running track in due time, which will provide a place of amusement for the young people and all who wish to avail themselves of outdoor exercise.

Miss Sarah Barrett, Mrs. Eunice Prince and Miss Ardena Prince were the guests of Mrs. George Webber of Auburn, recently, and while there were guests of the Auburn Art Club.

Chas. Back has sold his farm, known as the Robinson Deane place, to Mr. Shirley Bonney of Oxford. Possession is to be given some time the coming winter.

Mrs. Elizabeth Waldron has returned from a visit with relatives in Norway. While there she climbed Pike's Hill, which is quite a stunt for a lady of forty or more summers.

Mrs. Sarah J. Chase, wife of Chas. A. Chase of this town, died at her home in the south part of the town Friday afternoon, after a long illness covering a period of about three years. She was born in Turner sixty-four years ago, the daughter of Elias and Lucy (Young) Mitchell. She is survived by her husband and one daughter, Mrs. Temple Jordan, and three grandchildren. The funeral was held Monday from the home, Rev. Mr. Lamb officiating, and the burial was in the family lot in the Chase's Mills cemetery.

The drama, "The Brookdale Farm" was presented by the members of Paris Grange at Old Fellows' Hall, Friday evening in a fine manner to a good house. A score followed the play.

M. H. Foster and Walter Bryant picked thirty six and thirty seven barrels of apples respectively in eight hours Friday.

Mrs. M. Louise Staples attended the Maine music festival at Portland last week.

Mrs. E. C. Briggs has been away making official visits in her capacity as District Deputy of the Eastern Star.

Dr. Nell K. Forhan has returned to Lowell, Mass., after spending his vacation with his parents, J. K. Forhan and wife.

Mrs. Viola (Linton) spent the week end with her people at Wilton.

Mrs. B. A. Fletcher has been visiting her daughters, Mrs. Marion Packard, of Portland, and Mrs. Laura Bryant, of Auburn.

Mrs. Manette Howes is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Akers of Acworth have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Marston.

Mrs. Lora Betton has returned to Augusta.

Mrs. Maurice Peabody of Dixfield has been visiting relatives and friends in Norway, her former home.

Mr. and Mrs. Augustine Peabody have moved to the home owned by Mrs. M. T. Peabody on Pleasant street, recently vacated by Louis Street.

The next meeting of the Holy Family Club will be held Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. George L. Harmon.

Miss Ida Thomas of Auburn is a guest of Mrs. Elvira Goring and daughter.

Mrs. Henry Hatch of Whitman, Mass., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Fred Leavitt.

John A. Hodge Relief Corps has accepted an invitation to meet with Wilbur Hall on Oct. 20th.

Mrs. Ernest Harmon of Portland is a guest of her mother, Mrs. Asaiah Harmon, and sister, Mrs. O. F. Towle.

The inspection of John A. Hodge Relief Corps will be held Tuesday, Oct. 22nd.

W. E. Holthausen moved the party last week with which and down on by Joseph Lorne near Livermore Falls, to Waterville Road, Monday, where he will see the member of G. H. Johnson's.

CANTON.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. F. Oldham of Canton attended the music festival at Portland last week.

Miss Margarette Hollis was home from Mebron, Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Herbert Foster has been visiting relatives at Chesterville.

A pleasant session of the Universalist Circle was held Thursday with Mrs. A. A. Russell, and a good amount of sewing was accomplished. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. M. C. Winslow.

Rev. Chas. L. Snow of Hopkinton, N. H., has been a guest at the home of S. C. Jones and family.

The program at Canton Grange, Saturday, was about "Malua Indians." The meeting opened with music by the choir, followed by "Something of the Oldtown Indians," Mrs. H. M. Tucker; piano duet, Helen Bailey and Mrs. Winifred Roberts; poem, "Pierpolie, the last Indian of the Sandy," by Julia Harris May, read by Mrs. Tucker; piano solo, Mrs. Roberts; poem, "Maetagna," by Mrs. John Briggs; piano solo, Eleanor Westgate; recitation, Mrs. J. A. York; short sketches of the lives of Julia Harris May and Elizabeth Akers Allen, Mrs. C. E. Richardson; piano solo, Mrs. Westgate; poem, "Forgotten," by Julia Harris May, read by Mrs. C. E. Richardson; piano duet, Miss Bailey and Mrs. Roberts. "Poetry Day" is on the program for the next meeting and a speaker from away is expected to be present.

W. Scott Robinson of Hartford gave an interesting lecture on the battle of Gettysburg at the Universalist church; Saturday evening. Patriotic music was furnished and a poem read by Mrs. Gladys Russell. The affair was under the auspices of John A. Hodge Relief Corps.

Anasagiticook Lodge, I. O. O. F., has elected W. B. Gilbert as delegate to attend the Grand Lodge, and B. K. Patterson alternate.

Mrs. Suse Cole of Sanford visited in town over Sunday.

A jolly old-fashioned husking bee was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Bryant, Thursday evening. A good amount of corn was husked by the one hundred people who were in attendance. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. R. A. Barrows and Miss Clara Barrows have returned from a visit in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones Bonney of Lewiston have been guests of Mrs. S. A. Childs and family.

Mrs. F. M. Oliver has been visiting in Massachusetts.

Leon Roberts of Readfield visited in town last week.

Wm. H. Bailey has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. M. F. Stevens, of Mattapan, Mass.

A good delegation from Canton attended Grange meeting at Rumor, Friday. The fifth and sixth degrees were conferred, sixty four taking the State degree.

Mrs. Mary Gilbert is on the sick list.

Miss M. Louise Staples attended the Maine music festival at Portland last week.

Mrs. E. C. Briggs has been away making official visits in her capacity as District Deputy of the Eastern Star.

Dr. Nell K. Forhan has returned to Lowell, Mass., after spending his vacation with his parents, J. K. Forhan and wife.

Mrs. Viola (Linton) spent the week end with her people at Wilton.

Mrs. B. A. Fletcher has been visiting her daughters, Mrs. Marion Packard, of Portland, and Mrs. Laura Bryant, of Auburn.

Mrs. Manette Howes is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Akers of Acworth have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Marston.

Mrs. Lora Betton has returned to Augusta.

Mrs. Maurice Peabody of Dixfield has been visiting relatives and friends in Norway, her former home.

Mr. and Mrs. Augustine Peabody have moved to the home owned by Mrs. M. T. Peabody on Pleasant street, recently vacated by Louis Street.

The next meeting of the Holy Family Club will be held Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. George L. Harmon.

Miss Ida Thomas of Auburn is a guest of Mrs. Elvira Goring and daughter.

Mrs. Henry Hatch of Whitman, Mass., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Fred Leavitt.

John A. Hodge Relief Corps has accepted an invitation to meet with Wilbur Hall on Oct. 20th.

Mrs. Ernest Harmon of Portland is a guest of her mother, Mrs. Asaiah Harmon, and sister, Mrs. O. F. Towle.

The inspection of John A. Hodge Relief Corps will be held Tuesday, Oct. 22nd.

W. E. Holthausen moved the party last week with which and down on by Joseph Lorne near Livermore Falls, to Waterville Road, Monday, where he will see the member of G. H. Johnson's.

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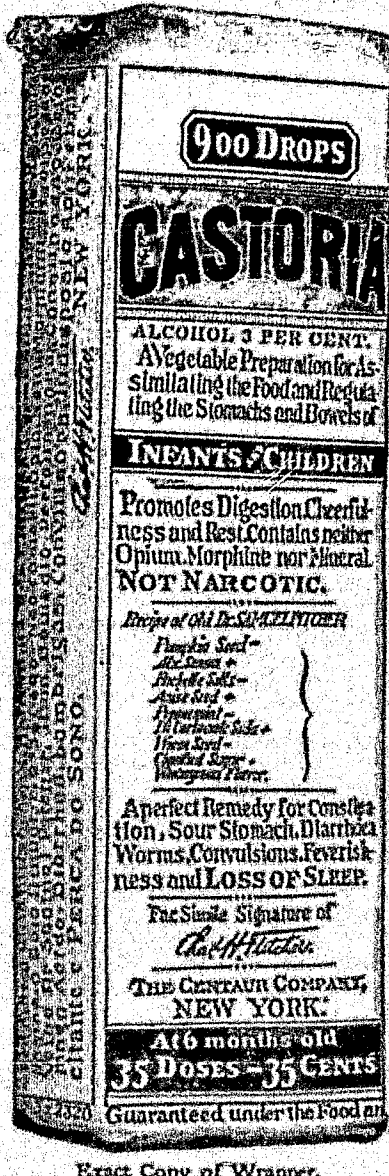
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NORTH NORWAY.

C. D. Morse went to Boston last Thursday.

Mrs. F. A. Hunt, who has been living at Noble's Corner the past few years, is soon to move to the village.

Elmer Hossey, who has been spending a few days at his parental home, went to Boston, Saturday.

Mrs. Geo. Hobbs visited relatives in Boston last week.

Mrs. E. A. Cox visited her son, Claud, in Lewiston recently.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Stevens of Norway Lake called on Mr. and Mrs. J. H. French one day last week.

Claud Hawall is at work for Harry French, packing apples.

O. W. H. Jenkins attended the "World's Fair" at North Waterford last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Jenkins, Mrs. Fred Hersey and Mrs. Woodbury Russell were among those who attended a picnic grange on Otisfield Gore, Oct. 7th.

Mrs. E. E. Twitcomb also Mrs. Leon Twitcomb of Oxford spent Wednesday of last week at O. W. H. Jenkins'.

Fred Hersey has been cutting engine for several of his neighbors with a gasoline engine.

Mrs. Jessie French visited relatives in Waterford recently.

Chas. Knightly passed away at the home of his sister, Mrs. Cole, Friday night after a long illness. Funeral service will be held at the home.

Services were held Monday.

Washington Noyes and party from Gorham, N. H., called on Mr. and Mrs. J. H. French, Sunday.

LOCKE'S MILLS.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Bartlett attended the State Grange session at Norway, Thursday. It being to give the seventh degree for people who wish to go to Manchester, N. H.

Miss Mary Dresser spent the week end at her home in North Waterford.

Azle Wing of Norway visited at Chris Bryant's, Sunday.

Miss Lillian Jordan spent Saturday in Portland.

Mrs. Eldon Goodwin of Prince Edward Island, came Sunday to visit her husband.

Mrs. M. B. Bradbury of West Paris is in town with millinery.

Eva and Edith Fiske attended the fair at Waterford, Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. William Cookum received a visit from her father of Berlin, Sunday.

Mrs. Nina Goodwin spent Saturday in Norway, shopping.

Harold Crooker of South Paris was a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Crooker, Sunday.

C. B. Tebbets was in Milton, Monday, on business.

Ferris will spend \$100,000 for irrigation in the near future.

A CLERGYMAN'S STORY
Came Near Losing His Life—How He Escaped

The following letter was received by The Peruna Co., from Rev. G. W. Roberts, R. R. 2, Box 11, Hartsell, Ala., under date of April 2, 1904, which is exactly one year ago. He says: "I take pleasure in informing you of what your Peruna has done for me after three years of suffering. I had tried the treatment of several doctors, also home remedies, but they failed and all hope was gone. My friends, like myself, thought I was in the last stages of consumption."



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"I wish to thank you for your kind advice and the books you have sent me. I shall ever praise your medicine."

"I can tell better, my cough began to stop, and the expectation of death was gone. I have taken fourteen bottles. I feel well, eat hearty, sleep soundly, weigh as much as I ever did, do considerable work on my farm, and attend to my other business. My friends were astonished at my recovery."

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We quote from another letter, dated December 10, 1904: "I praise Peruna to all the sick. The people know my case, and they praise it also."

In a letter dated November 22, 1902, we quote Rev. Roberts: "Peruna gave me back my life ten years ago. All my acquaintances know that. I am certainly thankful to you for your kindness."

In a later letter, dated January 13, 1910, he says: "I shall ever be in the future, as in the past, be ready to speak in praise of Peruna to all sufferers. I believe my miraculous cure has been the means of many others being cured in this country."

From a letter of September 5, 1911, we quote a few words: "I am still among the living. As to Peruna, I do not feel that I have words to express the faith I have in its merits. I feel that Peruna has been the means, through the kind providence of God, of prolonging my life for more than ten years."

We quote a still later letter, October 21, 1912. He says: "I took a severe cold three weeks ago. I at once sent for Peruna. Have been taking it two weeks. I am now better. I consider that Peruna has carried me over a dozen years of life. I always stand ready to answer any question in reference to Peruna."

We quote from his last letter, dated January 1, 1913: "Dear Friends: I wish this bright New Year to express my thanks to you for your kindness. Trusting that you may have a successful and happy year, and that your medicine may prove a blessing to many more."

As you are ever, O. W. Roberts, Hartsell, Alabama, R. R. 2, Box 11."

It is not necessary for us to add any words to this story. The eloquence and pathos of these letters are more convincing than arguments or affidavits. Who can doubt the clergyman's story? Who can doubt

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NEWRY.

D. C. Smith is confined to the house with a bad cold.

Miss Minnie Littlefield from East Stoneham visited last Wednesday at A. H. Powers'. She was on her way home from Trafalgar where she has been at work for Mrs. Wm. Otis.

Mrs. A. H. Frost and daughter, Agnes, were at their home last Sunday.

Mrs. Sophia Littlefield has been at work the past two weeks for Mrs. Martha Bartlett.

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RUMFORD.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. S. Ellingwood spent Sunday at Wilton, Me., as the guest of Mrs. Ellingwood's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jones.

Mrs. Benj. Schwind left Wednesday for a visit with friends and relatives in New York City.

Mrs. John McKeegan spent Sunday with friends in Jay, Me.

The Senior Class of the Rumford High school realized quite a sum from the entertainment given by Mr. Geo. Kiernan, in which he read the play, "Up Van Winkle."

Mr. and Mrs. Alphons Grigver of Portland, Me., were the guests of Miss Mabel Chase for the week end.

The October term of the Supreme Court at So. Paris opened on Tuesday, and all of the lawyers went over to attend.

Miss Ethel Darrach left Tuesday for a short visit with friends in Boston.

Mrs. W. R. Allen went to Boston, Friday, for a stay of two weeks.

Miss Lena M. Felt attended District Convention of Pythian Sisters at Farmington last Thursday.

D. E. Hayes, dispatcher for the M. & N. R. R., is having a two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. C. L. Penney of Portland is substituting for him.

Mrs. Roy C. Latimer of Saratoga, New York, and children are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Harris of Prospect Ave. for a few weeks.

Mrs. Dennis Harrison was operated on at Dr. McCarty's hospital, Monday, for appendicitis.

Rev. Wm. Gaskin of Stamford, Conn., began his duties as pastor of the Universalist Church on Sunday, Oct. 12th. Mr. Gaskin has rooms with the family of Geo. D. Kidder on Rumford Ave.

Miss Gladys Robinson of Auburn was the week end guest of Miss E. Lyford.

A harvest supper was held in the vestry of the Baptist Church on Tuesday night and a goodly attendance was present, and the supper pronounced excellent.

Elisha Pratt and wife and F. H. Atwood and wife started Monday for an automobile trip to Nashua, N. H., Boston, and vicinity, where they will be the guests of friends.

The "Dunsmuir" Club will meet with Mrs. J. E. W. Clark on York street, Friday of this week.

Mrs. A. E. Stearns is spending the week at Norway as the guest of A. J. Stearns and wife.

The District Convention of District No. 10 will be held at Andover, Thursday evening, Oct. 10th. A large delegation is expected to go from Orono Temple.

The Broadway Opera Company have been at Cheney Opera House this week and have given excellent satisfaction. This company is composed of fourteen members, eleven of which are girls, and they presented a different opera each evening. On Monday evening the theatre was crowded to its utmost capacity, the opera being "The Mikado."

Ben Lodge is the comedian and his work was much appreciated.

All of the Jewish stores were closed on Saturday, as this day was observed as a Jewish fast day.

Percy Smith and Mary Higgins of Rumford were married last Tuesday at St. Athanasius Church, immediately following the ceremony the young couple left on the morning train for a brief honeymoon. Upon their return they will reside in Strathearn Park.

The children of the Chisholm school have been very proud of the exhibit in Mrs. Parlin's room. The exhibit consists of Indian relics and were placed there by Master Everett Martin and Master Morton Abbott, and included a tomahawk, a savasie blanket, pottery, arrow heads and wool ribbon used by the Indians to tie their hair with. The children have been studying Hiawatha the term, and these exhibits meant a good deal to them.

Charles Hanley left Friday for Orono.

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WEST BETHEL.

Mr. and Mrs. Nahum Ordway, after spending the summer at the home of W. A. Farwell, returned to their home at Old Orchard, Saturday, Miss Grace Farwell going with them for a few days.

Miss May Cross from Bethel visited Miss Emily Burke at her school, Friday.

Mrs. W. D. Mills visited in Gorham, N. H., Sunday.

Mr. John Dwinalls, Mrs. Rita Kennedy and Mr. and Mrs. William Johnson were in Portland, Friday, to attend a railroad lecture.

Mr. Eben Scribner has returned from the woods in Grafton and is now stopping with his daughter, Mrs. Stella Goodridge.

A new family has moved into the Harry Brown place bringing two new automobiles into school.

Mrs. Maude O'Reilly and Mrs. H. P. Dennison were in Bethel village, Monday.

Mrs. G. D. Morrill is having the remains of her former husband, Daniel Morrill and two children removed from the Mason cemetery and brought to Pine Grove cemetery, West Bethel.

Most everybody attended the North Waterford Fair, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Dean of Auburn have returned home. While here Mr. Dean got two deer.

Geo. Rolfe has moved to Hastings, Me.

There were eight candidates from Pleasant Valley Grange, West Bethel, who went to Norway, Thursday, to be instructed in the sixth degree. They are as follows: Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McKennie, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Morrill, F. L. Dean, Marion Dean, Mrs. Emma Mills, Robert Edwards.

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Mrs. Hazel Pratt spent a few days this week with her mother, Mrs. F. E. Akers.

Bert Hanson and wife, who have been at Orono for several months, have returned to their home.

E. E. Mills is having a two weeks' vacation from his duties in O. A. Rand's store.

Y. A. Thurston is in Bangor and Augusta this week.

C. A. Rand and family attended the Fryburg Fair last Wednesday.

The schools in town were not in session Monday—Columbus Day.

Mr. F. Tatum of Phippsburg, Me., with four young men, are inspecting the orchards in town for the grape moth.

Chas. Howe was in town, Saturday evening, with his moving pictures.

Rev. and Mrs. T. D. Preston and Mrs. Y. A. Thurston attended the Congregational Church Conference at Dixfield this week.

The boys from the primary and grammar schools played a game of base ball at No. 4, Monday, with the school boys there, beating them with the score of 35 to 10.

The Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. Olive Dyer, Wednesday of last week.

Frank Newton, wife and daughter, who have been spending two weeks in Boston and vicinity, are expected home Saturday.

Miss Mima Stevens is assisting Mrs. Alexander Jackson.

Bert Hanson shot a nice deer Monday.

Young A. Thurston and Herbert Morton attended the K. of P. Lodge at Andover, Saturday evening.

Herbert Hutchins has gone to Richardson Pond to work.

The Oxford North Agricultural Society met Tuesday evening, Oct. 7, and elected the following officers: President, C. T. Poor; vice president, Y. A. Thurston; secretary, J. F. Talbot; treasurer, R. A. Grover; trustees: J. P. Caldwell, J. H. Abbott, H. L. Poor, Holton Abbott, Owen Lovejoy, Lucien Akers.

Mrs. J. E. Akers and Miss Akers were at Andover, Friday of last week.

The family of Wm. Poor have returned to their home and the "Poor" house is closed.

Geo. Thomas and Arthur Poor have been helping Clayton Swett at the Lakes last week.

Wallie Marston and family were guests at Warren Marston's over Sunday.

Lincoln Dresser is suffering with a severe cold.

"Here, me," requested the boy, hurrying in from school before time, "hang my jacket up behind the store."

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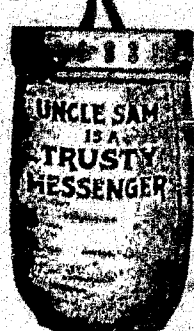
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Stations	No. 4	No. 6	No. 1	No. 3
	Daily	Ex. Sun.	Daily	Daily
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Bethel, Me.	7:45	8:45	1:30	2:30
Carthage	8:00	9:00	1:45	2:45
West Bethel	8:15	9:15	2:00	3:00
BETHEL	8:30	9:30	2:15	3:15
Locke's Mill	8:45	9:45	2:30	3:30
Locke's Pond	9:00	10:00	2:45	3:45
South Bethel	9:15	10:15	3:00	4:00
Lewiston, Me.	9:30	10:30	3:15	4:15
Portland	9:45	10:45	3:30	4:30

WEST BOUND.				
Stations	No. 3	No. 1	No. 6	No. 4
	Daily	Ex. Sun.	Daily	Daily
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Portland	7:45	8:45	1:30	2:30
Lewiston, Me.	8:00	9:00	1:45	2:45
South Bethel	8:15	9:15	2:00	3:00
Locke's Pond	8:30	9:30	2:15	3:15
Locke's Mill	8:45	9:45	2:30	3:30
BETHEL	9:00	10:00	2:45	3:45
Carthage	9:15	10:15	3:00	4:00
Bethel, Me.	9:30	10:30	3:15	4:15

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Trains Leave Bethel Falls
8:00 a. m. for Bethel, Me. and for
Bethel, Me. and for Lewiston, Me.
and for Portland, Me.

Trains Arrive Bethel Falls
8:00 a. m. from Bethel, Me. and from
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From the moment he could stand alone
and toddle
Across the bedroom floor from chair
to chair,
There was never any respite for his
mother;
He was getting into mischief every-
where.

There were some serious distracting
down the stairway,
And tumbles off the sofa, to be sure,
And the bumps he got were really quite
terrible,
But none a mother's kisses couldn't
cure.

He'd a most pishion fondness for the
kitchen,
Where piecrusts were his favorite
treat,
And the coal had held for him a favor-
able
For he seemed to think its contents
good to eat.

Not the thing that caused his mother's
greatest worry,
And made her ply her household
over and over,
Was the subsequent invasion of the
parlor.

With his grimy little fingers on the
door,
How the whiteness of the paint was
desecrated
By those dirty little digits every
day.

Though the weary mother swept and
began and ended
He panned the even team of his
way.

It was evident that he was only happy
When his fingers held their share
And nose of dirt;
And the only thing he loathed was
soap and water.

And of my goodness gracious how
that host.

But it bodes us now to contemplate the
elegance
Of everything about this quiet place;
All the finger marks that used to mar
the wood work
Have disappeared, nor left the

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slightly torn.
For the first of them were wiped away
last summer.
Glad summer that is gone forever
more.
We are lucky, Lord, and hangering to
see him.
With me seems little fingers on the
door.

NORTH NEWRY.

The grange held a dance and harvest
supper Friday evening.
Miss Grace Thurston closed a suc-
cessful term of school Friday. Each
pupil received a last day gift from
their teacher, also ice cream was
served by Mrs.

John Pothrock was in town last
week buying cattle.
Mrs. Cook is entertaining John No-
son, wife and son from Wilton.

Will Warren entertained Mr. and
Mrs. Henry Stearns, also Eli Stevens
and family from Hanover, Thursday.
Mr. and Mrs. S. A. James were at
Bethel, Thursday.

A. C. Littlehale spent Wednesday and
Thursday in Upton with his daughter,
Mrs. Love.

P. P. Flint came from the Lake
Wednesday, with Willis and Carl Blum-
way whom he has been guiding. They
each brought out a fine deer. Mr. Flint
went back to the Lake Thursday to
guide Mr. Edwards of Boston for two
weeks.

Mrs. Mary Wilson, who has been
spending two weeks at her nephew's
home, returned to Wilson's Mills,
Thursday.

Hugh Thurston and party are camp-
ing at Sunday Lake.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wright are enter-
taining Mr. Wright's aunt and cousin
also, Daniel Goss of New Jersey.

Lon Wright was at the Balauns re-
cently.
Frank Douglass has gone to Grafton
threshing.

Herbert Kendall of Sunday River
was in town, Saturday.

HEBRON.

Mrs. Caroline Bray is confined to
her bed. Her many friends hope for a
speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hatchinson were
in Bethel, Turner and Lewiston on
Thursday.

Stanley Glover of Portland, Me., has
been spending a few days with his
parents.

Mrs. H. E. Castello spent the day
Thursday with Mrs. F. H. Marshall.
Mrs. Annie Gray picked a large ripe
red strawberry October 9, in her gar-
den.

H. R. Stearns has had his apples in-
spected and shipped them this week.
Fred Budgett has recovered from his
recent operation and returned from the
Lebanon Hospital, Wednesday.

Mrs. Charles Conant and daughter,
Martha, of Kingston, N. H., are the
guests of Mrs. Tom Tannet.

Mrs. Alice Barlow, who has been
spending a few days with friends here
has returned to her home at West Paris.
Miss and Mrs. Conant of An-
dover were guests of A. A. Conant and
family this week.

Mrs. Dave Monson, who has been
spending the summer here with her sis-
ter, Mrs. A. M. Richardson, expects to
leave soon for her home in Washing-
ton, D. C.

MASON.

John M. Kenzie has gone to yard up
Lumber for Melvin Mason of Gilsum.
Mrs. J. B. Wilman called on Mrs. R.
H. Foster and Joe recently.

Brooks Telle was at his mother's,
Monday.
Hemlock patients from this place
went to Portland last Thursday to at-
tend the special session of the State
treasury.

A car for the Hallowell for Waterford
left, but quite a number attended from
town.

E. A. Haines goes to North Paris
this week to attend court as jurymen
from this town. A short term is ex-
pected.

Frank Hutchinson has been out
with Westing and Merrill to work on
the woods.

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From Mrs. EDWARD B. HILBERT, Fleetwood, Pa.
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From Mrs. F. P. MULLENDORF, Munford, Ala.
Munford, Ala.—"I was so weak and nervous while passing through the Change of Life that I could hardly live. My husband had to nail rubber on all the gates for I could not stand to have a gate slam.
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THE NATIONAL CAPITAL.

Events of Interest From the Seat of Government.

By J. E. Jones.

Foolish Questions by Rogers.
A Massachusetts Congressman, John A. Rogers of Lowell, asked permission of the Postmaster General to meet his constituents in thirty-two towns of the District at the local postoffices. This is about the first instance on record of a Congressman suggesting that the postoffices be made his political headquarters, and Postmaster General Patterson refused the request. In most instances the Congressmen go ahead and do the same thing and that is all there is to it.

Cannon and Taft.

"Uncle Joe" Cannon got most of the headlines of the first page, while Professor Taft of Yale occupied the inside columns of the daily newspapers at the time of the visit of the two celebrities to the National Capitol to attend the meeting of the Lincoln Memorial Commission. The ex-Speaker's fund of witty sayings still holds for him his place with the copy writers, while the ex-President failed to attract a great deal of attention owing to his refusal to discuss politics. As such is fame at Uncle Sam's headquarters.

Everybody is Happy.

The third and last statement of the Congressional Campaign Committee has been made, and in it Congressman Hinshaw, who heads the Progressive Committee, voices the joy and enthusiasm that comes from the Republican and Democratic campaign in commenting upon the results of the recent election in Maine. The reading of the different statements is edifying to voters of all parties as all the generals had plenty of comfort in results. And now West Virginia has a Congressman to elect, and all the headlining political stump speakers are to be sent into that state to point out the duty of those who voted the ballot.

Will Break Down of Its Own Weight.

According to the declaration of Representative Catherwood of Maine, the new currency measure will be so arranged in the Senate "that it will break down of its own weight." The gentleman from Maine explains that the bill does not offer sufficient inducement for the 1000 national banks of the country to join the proposition, and that many of them will step out.

The Ambassador to Mexico.

Senator James Wilson will remain Ambassador to Mexico until October 14, which is the date of expiration of his

term, until it was directed against them, though Speaker Clark reminded Congressman Payne of tariff fame, in the course of a controversy, that the Republicans had a "big combine that no mortal man could break," and he added that it lasted for sixteen years. The Republicans are going to make an issue of the caucus—the same institution the "insurgents" refused to participate in when the G. O. P. was in power. The minority further asserts that the rules of the House under "Cannism" were no more arbitrary than the present system in Congress. Speaker Clark has declared that "we must have organization to enact the will of the people into law." He further asserts that the Democrats have this "organization," and he says they are using it in fulfilling their pledges to the people. Without attempting any apology he has told the Republicans that "the custom of the pot calling the kettle black has never met with the highest encomium in this country." Right or wrong, the best of harmony has always been maintained within the Democratic organization, and for three years every party plan has gone through as "sleek as grease."

The Senators and Currency.
The Senate has not yet "fully made up its mind" to pass the currency bill. Senators who oppose the bill have discovered that they are "being hurried," and in case they can muster sufficient support it may be that the talking process will not be completed by December, in which case the round of debate would have to be done all over again in the winter session. There is some Democratic disaffection, and notable Senators pointed out are Reed and Hitchcock. On the other hand as this is not necessarily a partisan measure it is confidently predicted that there will be plenty of Republican support.

The Fossilized Census.
The disclosures of the Census Bureau show that although three and a half years have elapsed since the enumeration, much of the work remains uncompleted, and many of the reports have never been made. These several million dollars worth of census work has slipped into junk. Worse still, clerks are kept on old work thereby holding back useful annual reports unless made up now.

Vitrified Brick Roads.
Government investigation of vitrified brick as a paving material for country roads concludes that notwithstanding the first high cost, that four distinct advantages are obtained, to wit: Durability, easy traction, ease of maintenance and good appearance.

Bankers Are Hard to Please.
It is revealed in connection with the exciting happenings of the bankers gathering at Boston that the opposition of the bankers to pioneer legislation is not now. When the postal savings bank was being urged throughout the country, the bankers were tearing their hair in the same mad manner as now. The Banking and Currency Committee of the Senate has been holding protracted hearings, and there is no concealing the fact that the President and his closest advisers are becoming uneasy lest the Glass-Steagall measure will fail to go through the special session of Congress. The situation in the Senate Committee is voiced by Senator O'Gorman, who said: "I do not exaggerate when I say that no Member of this Committee is in favor of this bill as it stands today." Let there should be misunderstanding, Chairman Owen explained that the statement merely meant that there were amendments which should be incorporated in the bill and he stated that the bill as a whole is satisfactory to the Finance Committee of the Senate. Senators Hitchcock and Reed are the "insurgents," but it is altogether likely that these two gentlemen will follow in line behind the Administration policy when the time comes for action, the same as did all other Democrats in the passage of the tariff bill. While there is a lot of fuss and bluster it is nevertheless fairly clear to the observing mind that the Democratic program of this session which calls for tariff and currency legislation will be completed, although it may develop into more or less of a rough and tumble affair the latter part of November, during the closing days of the special session.

The New Haven Railroad.
The New Haven Railroad ought to be busily engaged in congratulating itself because the Attorney General has announced that he prefers to entertain proposals from the road that will lead to the dissolution of the New England transportation monopoly, rather than to press litigation to that end. The new President of the road, Mr. Elliott, has informed the government officials that his corporation has no desire to retain its investments except in conformity to the law, and consistent with sound public policy. While the affairs of the New Haven control of the Boston and Maine, its operating agreement with the Boston and Albany, and its control of steamship lines and railroads are a subject of much concern, it may be that litigation is the only

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The Situation at Washington.
The questions of revenue and tariff have successfully passed the red light of danger and the ship of state is now abreast the green light of caution, while the Administration declares that the white light of safety is just around the corner. And there is added to this the promise of better conditions for the people who inhabit the broad acres of the Golden Republic, insofar as the party in power can afford it. Every effort is now being directed by the Administration and its forces to secure the passage of the currency bill, and simmered down the principal opposition against the measure is the fact that the officials who will control the federal board and the regional banks will be selected by the President. It is further claimed that the greatest financial interests of the country have not been taken into the confidence of President Wilson, and therefore the feelings of all have been so badly hurt that they "will not play." Those who have studied the new currency measure are agreed that it cannot succeed, without the cooperation of the banking interests of the country and many criticisms from districts removed from all the larger cities are to the effect that the so-called country bankers do not carry a large amount of short time paper, which is essential if they are to cooperate in the benefits of the new legislation, which is designed to place the resources of the central or regional banks at the disposal of the local banks. To the critics the Administration leaders retort that anyone can go to an oculist and get glasses that will make the world look topsy turvy and the observation is supplemented by the statement that a great many people have this class of glasses. Nevertheless, the currency legislation has not been considered entirely as a partisan measure, although the President declares that Democrats who are not "rebels" will support him. At present the greatest concern is whether the dilatory Senate can be stirred up sufficiently to enact a bill before the regular session in December.

HOW THE NEW FEDERAL BIRD LAWS AFFECT NEW ENGLAND.

Every sportsman of New England will be interested to know how the new Federal Regulations for the Protection of Migratory Birds affect his territory. He will want to know under what circumstances the Federal laws take precedence and when the State laws are effective. A little study of these different regulations will be necessary to determine whether he is hunting legally or illegally.

Under an Act of Congress, passed March 4, 1913, known as the McLean-Park Bill, the Federal Government was given the power to make regulations to fix the closed season for migratory birds. On October 1, at 12 o'clock, these regulations were signed by the President, as the statute requires, and now have the force of law. Under these regulations New England comes in the Northern Zone or Zone No. 1.

The Federal Regulations apply to migratory birds, but not to all migratory birds; only to migratory game and to certain birds. If a game bird is migratory it is included under the regulations. The ruffed grouse, bob-white and prairie hen are not considered migratory enough to be included under these regulations. On the other hand, the woodcock and snipe are included. All perching birds which feed entirely or chiefly on insects are protected at all times. This includes bobolinks, catbirds, chickadees, crows, flickers, flycatchers, grosbeaks, hummingbirds, kinglets, meadowlarks, night hawks, nuthatches, orioles, robins, shrikes, swallows, swifts, tanagers, titmice, thrushes, vireos, warblers, waxwings, whippoorwills, woodpeckers and wrens. Kingfishers, for example which are in continuous in a small stream, are not included, but they may be protected under State laws.

Consultation with State and Federal legal authorities shows that they agree that the Federal laws take precedence over the State laws except where the State law makes a shorter open season than the Federal law, in which case there is nothing to prevent the State authorities from enforcing the State law. For example, the Federal Regula-

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At Norway, Me., for Oxford County, Saturday, November 8, 1913.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces an examination to secure eligibles from Bethel, Me., on the date and at the places named above, as a result of which it is expected to make certification to fill a vacancy in the position of rural carrier at Bethel, Me., and other vacancies as they may appear on rural routes at post offices in the above-named county, unless it is found to be in the interest of the service to fill the vacancy by reinstatement, transfer, or promotion. The usual entrance salary for rural carriers is from \$600 to \$1000 per annum.

Age limit, 18 to 55, on the date of the examination. The maximum age limit is waived in cases of persons honorably discharged from the United States military or naval service.

An applicant must have his actual domicile in the territory supplied by a post office in the county for which the examination is announced.

The examination is open to all male citizens of the United States who can comply with the requirements.

Application Form 1341, and full information concerning the requirements of the examination, can be secured from the secretary of the local examining board or the postmaster at any of the places named above, or from the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

Applications should be properly executed and filed with the Commission at Washington. As examination papers are shipped direct from the Commission to the places of examination, it is necessary that applications be received in ample time to arrange for the examination desired at the place indicated by the applicant. The Commission will therefore arrange to examine any applicant whose application is received in time to permit the shipment of the necessary papers.

An eligible register for the position of rural letter carrier for each county will be maintained. A person must be examined in the county in which the post office that supplies his home is situated. As a result of such examination he may become eligible to appointment as rural carrier at any post office in such county. A rural letter carrier after one year's satisfactory service may be transferred to the position of clerk or carrier in a first or second class post office, to the position of railway mail clerk, or to other positions in the classified service, subject to such examinations as may be required by the civil service rules.

JOHN A. McLENNY,

President.

tions in Massachusetts fix the open season on woodcock from October 10 to December 1, while under the State law the season is established to coincide with that of the grouse and extends from October 12 to November 12. In such a case the State law will hold, but when the open season under the State law begins earlier and ends later than that under the Federal Regulations, the Federal Regulations will hold.

The open season for migratory birds in Zone No. 1 under the Federal Regulations are as follows: Waterfowl, September 1 to December 10; Exceptions in England, Massachusetts from September 15 to January 1. Rails, Coots and Gallinules, September 1 to December 1; Exceptions in New England, Massachusetts, New Hampshire and Rhode Island from August 15 to December 1, Connecticut, September 10 to December 1. Woodcock, October 1 to December 1; Exceptions in New England, Connecticut and Massachusetts from October 10 to December 1 and in Rhode Island from November 1 to December 1. Shore birds, Blackbreasted and golden plover, Jacksnipe and yellowlegs, September 1 to December 10; Exceptions in New England, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire and Rhode Island from August 15 to December 1. The shore birds named above are the only species that may be legally killed for five years under the new Federal Regulations. All small plover, sandpipers or "peeps" and "grassbirds" are protected at all times. All migratory game birds are protected from sunset to sunrise throughout the United States, and in Vermont rails are protected until the year 1918. There is a close season on wood ducks in New England until September, 1918. The regulation of the collecting of birds for scientific purposes is left to the several states.

EDWARD HOWE FORBUSH.

SHIR WAS CAREFUL.

She was a little four-year-old, at ways talking, talking. One day she was much annoyed with her older sister, Lucie, so she went to her mother with the complaint, saying: "Mother, Lucie says that I talk too much, but I don't talk too much, do I, mother?" "Never say anything," said the mother through saying "something" else. Is that talkin' too much?"

NORWAY.

C. S. Akers left Monday for Boston where he will attend the Postmasters Association of New England. Miss Mary Booker and her mother, Mrs. Booker, will move this week to Athol, Mass.

Mrs. Marguerite Cowan was a week end guest of her mother, Mrs. B. P. Bradbury.

H. L. Smith attended the meeting of the American Bankers Association last week in Boston.

Hon. A. S. Kimball, A. L. F. Pike, D. M. French, C. V. Webber, M. L. Kimball are attending the Grand Lodge and Grand Encampment of Odd Fellows in Portland this week.

Mrs. Ada Libby, Mrs. Eva Kimball and Mrs. Katherine Mann are attending the Rehearsal Assembly in Portland this week.

Miss Mildred Chapman of Bryant's Pond has been a guest of Mrs. R. O. Porter.

Miss Inez Benson has gone to Biddeford to work.

H. R. Foster, L. H. Cushman, Lewis Brooks and Eugene Andrews are at Camp Cinnamon, hunting.

Mrs. Harry Fielding and family went to Portsmouth, Thursday, where they will live. Mr. Fielding went some weeks ago.

Mrs. A. J. Noyes returned Saturday from a visit with her son, Dr. Harry Noyes, in Lawrence, Mass.

Miss Mina Jewett and Miss Duffield have returned to New York after spending their summer vacation here.

Miss Myrtle and Ethel Millett went to Haverhill, Thursday, where they will be employed in the shoe shop. They will live with their sister, Mrs. H. L. Day.

Mrs. George Brooks was elected president of the Barton club at their meeting last week.

Mrs. Lila Cobb of Portland spent Sunday and Monday in town.

Peter Kane has moved his family to Mechanic Falls.

Harry A. Packard has a picture of a square tailed trout painted by Artist Knowles of recent Maine woods fame.

Harley True has purchased a new Smiley automobile.

Nathan Shapiro has moved his family to Lewiston.

John Woodman has a new concrete sidewalk in front of his new moving picture house.

Nye Gilbert has returned to his home in Rochester, N. H.

Harry A. Packard is in Boston this week where he is buying Christmas goods.

The board of trustees of the Universalist Church have arranged with Rev. Chester G. Miller of South Paris to preach each Sunday afternoon at the church here. The Sunday school will be from two to three o'clock and the preaching service from three to four.

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LOCAL HISTORY.

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Ability and ability, he gained the confidence and esteem of his fellow citizens; and he has from time to time, by their suffrage, been elected and has held many of the most important offices in the town, the duties of which he discharged with propriety and with the greatest faithfulness. In private life he sustained a good moral character. He was a tender and kind husband, an affectionate and indulgent parent, and a devoted and sincere friend. He was cheerful, frank and open in his disposition, his deportment in life was dignified without disguise or affectation. He lived respected and died lamented, leaving a tender and infirm widow, five beloved children, and a large circle of friends and acquaintances to mourn the loss of their deceased friend.

"The sweet remembrance of the just shall flourish when they sleep in dust."

The Rev. John Bradley states in his diary that Joseph Russell was the first place at which he stopped upon arriving in Bethel in 1798, and then refers several times to his calling on him residing a mile distant and Parson Bradley stopped at the front house, or "Clark house" as it was then called. But Rev. Russell finally resided at Middle Intervale, and I am told, upon the latter farm.

He died Nov. 23, 1832; age, 1 died, Nov. 23, 1832.

Of the five children:

1—Thomas, m. Abigail Abbott of Andover, and bore him nine children.

2—Benjamin, Jr., m. Melville Abbott of Andover, and bore him twelve children.

3—John, m. Susanna Twissell of Bethel and bore him seven children. The eldest, David, b. May 12, 1792, took for a second husband Luke Kelly, Esq. He was a farmer, school teacher and land surveyor of Newry. A daughter of Luke named Victoria A. Kelly re-

sided at Goodwin's Mills, a few miles from Bethel, in York county, or did at his father's. The younger child of John named:

4—Leander Gage Russell, b. Oct. 15, 1816, m. Miss Sarah P. Wright, he a carpenter and painter and resided in the Stephen Holt house on Bethel Hill a spell which he built but sold and removed to Haverhill, Mass. It stands on the easterly side of Broad street, opposite the southeasterly corner of the Common.

5—William, m. Melville Kilgore, who bore him eleven children, but there were six.

The obituary calls for five children, but there were six.

6—Mary, m. Nathaniel Segar who bore him thirteen children. They resided in Hanover, the residence still standing in a good state of repair, near the ferry, once a part of Bethel. The story of his captivity appears upon the slate slab that marks his grave.

"DIED, AT Bethel, September 25, 1835, Caroline Amanda Mellen, age four 1/2 years, eldest child of Prentiss Mellen Esq.

Early-bright—transient, chaste as the morning dew, she blossomed, was exalted—and went to Heaven."

It is the description of her worldly career and departure to realms unknown that makes the notice interesting. The child's father was the first Chief Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court of this State. In the Portland Western cemetery may be seen a Monument erected to his memory "By the Bar of Maine," surrounded by a rusty fence, all in a dilapidated condition. He was born in Reading, Mass., Oct. 11, 1764, graduated at Harvard College, Senator of the United States, and died in Portland Dec. 31, 1849. He resided and lived in it for a while upon the easterly side of State, near Free street, now owned and occupied by Judge Potnam of the U. S. District Court—one of the best examples of colonial red granite. It was erected in 1857. It was at one time the home of Hon. William Pitt Fessenden.

Greenville Mellen, born in Bethel, June 19, 1792, a graduate of Harvard College, class of 1815, was a poet. He had a brilliant mind, wrote prose and poetry with ease, at one time was editor of the Portland Advertiser, but the loss of his child and wife three years after marriage so upset him that he wandered off and it was fifty years before his remains were discovered in a church tomb in New York city when they were returned to Portland and placed by the side of his father.

HEALTH OF HOME AND SCHOOL.

Issued by the State Board of Health of Maine.

Cold Weather Diseases.

Pneumonia, bronchitis, grip, and common colds, are called cold weather diseases. In the last ten years, in Maine, these diseases destroyed in the four months, January to April, 8,323 lives and in the four months of settled milder weather, from June to September, only 1,976. Aside from these diseases there are other cold weather troubles. Many people do not winter out well. In the spring they find themselves all run down, so they say, and many children, pale and puny, are sent from the city to the country or to our health resorts in early summer, where they make wonderful recoveries.

What Does That Mean?

Does it mean that the climate of our cold season is of itself less healthful than that of our warm season? Perhaps, but let us see.

Explorers in the Polar regions have found these parts remarkably free from these diseases, and, returning, suffer from attacks of grip, colds, or of the other so-called cold weather diseases soon after coming back to civilization.

An influential gentleman of this state after reaching it in our Northern Maine woods, came down promptly with a dangerous attack of pneumonia after he had been exposed to the stuffy air of an ill-ventilated hotel bedroom.

In the northern sanatoriums for consumptives, where patients live in the open air and sleep in the open air through the inclement winters, properly protected by clothing, of course, these cold weather diseases are much less prevalent than in the homes from which they come, and besides they recover from their tuberculous disease much more rapidly in winter than in summer.

Then What is the Cause?

Or, we would ask, what are the causes, for there appears to be more than one cause. We shall simply mention a few of the more common ones.

1st. Artificial Conditions of our Own Making.

The most influential of these is undoubtedly foul air poisoning. We fail to ventilate or "air out" our living rooms, sleeping rooms, school rooms, churches, and places of business. The air is robbed of its healthgiving part

its oxygen—by the process of breathing, and also by the flames of gas or oil lamps. Still worse, respiration and combustion both add to the air matter which is actually poisonous and harmful just in proportion to the absence of ventilation and the stuffy condition of the rooms.

Then again, our stoves and furnaces give off dangerous gases because we do not manage them intelligently.

Another fault is that we generally keep our rooms too warm. The temperature of our living rooms and school rooms should never go above 70 degrees F., and not much below 68 degrees. But the English think that 69 degrees or 65 degrees is warm enough for their school rooms. That is because they do not crowd their children in houses that are overheated as we do.

And we certainly do overheat our houses awfully. A temperature of 75 degrees to 80 degrees is debilitating, as cold air is a tonic and such overheated air is too dry for healthfulness. Kitchen air is usually better than living room air because the steaming teakettle adds moisture.

Again, in close, unventilated rooms, the infection of the infectious diseases, if any happen to be around, becomes dangerously concentrated. And such infections are around much oftener than most of us think. For instance, many of us carry the germs of pneumonia or of grip in the secretions of our mouth, nose, or throat when we appear to be perfectly well, waiting to master us when imprudently we reduce our natural powers of resistance, or gathering in force and thriving in the foul air of our rooms until they overcome other persons.

2nd. Infection.

The preceding paragraph is suggestive of this. These cold weather diseases are infectious diseases. The germ of grip (influenza) and that which causes most cases of pneumonia are well-known and have been studied well. Colds are plainly infectious, but are probably caused by more than one kind of infectious agent. So, we may say that the real cause, the essential cause, of these winter diseases, is infection, and that all other causes are merely exciting or helping causes.

3rd. The Effect of a Draft or Chilling.

This properly belongs in class first. While living under normal conditions, low temperatures have no intrinsic tendency to cause these diseases. But with the body debilitated by unfavorable conditions, and the way paved by them, a draft may be dangerous. It may serve as an exciting, or contributory cause.

How May We Prevent These Diseases?

By ventilating or airing out rooms frequently. Of course it costs a little more for fuel, but it is a kind of life insurance that pays. School rooms particularly should have a good system of ventilation. Sleep at all times with open windows—wide open preferably, protecting against direct draft and protecting the top of the head if the hair does not suffice.

Do not spit all around, well or sick. Spit into a tin, or otherwise, what is caught up or spit out by persons who have these cold weather diseases.

Coughing as a fine art, when sick with these diseases or with tuberculosis, requires a piece of cheesecloth or paper before the mouth to prevent spraying infection into the air. This has been the piece: Remember your good manners, and do not cough into anybody's face or toward others. Remember, too, that loud open mouthed coughing is a sort of style compass and a not a virtue. Repeat unnecessary coughing. It will be better for you and for others. Do not be unusually chummy because you have a cold or the grip. Keep away from other people as much as you can. Acts of carelessness in these respects may lay out best friends, or cause them needless suffering.

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LIVESTOCK INCREASE ON NATIONAL FOREST RANGES

A market increase in the quantity of livestock grazed on national forest ranges during the past fiscal year is reported by the forest service. Nine and a half million domestic animals have been occupied during the summer in converting one of the by-products of the forests into meat, hides, and wool. In addition, there were in round numbers three hundred thousand calves and colts and five million lambs and kids exempt from permit and therefore not enumerated.

According to the figures gathered, the amount of stock grazed under permit during the year is over four per cent. greater than for the previous year, while the number of permittees using the forest for pasture purposes was increased from 25,591 to 27,460. The total receipts by the government from grazing fees for the twelve months ending June 30, 1913, were \$1,067,723, and the portion of this applied to schools and roads in the states in which the national forest are situated is about \$225,000.

Herding is second only to lumbering as a principal use of the forests. Practically all the national forests are extensively used for grazing purposes and within eleven states extending east from Pacific Coast, known as the "far western group." These states contain, according to latest reports \$312,000 cattle, 2,510,000 horses and mules, and 6,300,000 sheep. The national forests support in these states 17 per cent. of the number of cattle grazed, 3.33 per cent. of horses and mules, and 17.5 per cent. of sheep.

It is estimated that the annual product of these animals is 10,000 head of beef cattle of various ages and grades and 1,000,000 head of lambs and wethers.

Since the average per head of a beef animal is 510 pounds, of a lamb 55 pounds, and of a sheep 55 pounds, the stock grazed on national forests in the eleven far western states produce annually about 155 million pounds of beef and 510 million pounds of mutton. In addition, it is said the wool grown totals 25,000,000 pounds, while approximately 500,000 lambs, and 1,000,000 kids are raised.

This output, according to the forest service, does not involve any material sacrifice of forest of watershed protection of permanent furage production on the national forests. The system of range management applied by the government has proved, it is claimed, effective and simple, and the quality and quantity of the national furage crop is said to be improving each year.

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STATISTICS SHOW INCREASE IN TEXTILE LABORERS' WAGES

Wages in the cotton, woolen and silk manufacturing industries of the United States during the past 23 years have increased to a considerable extent while the nominal full time hours per week for the principal occupations combined have decreased, according to the Bureau of Labor Statistics. These industries employ approximately 325,000 persons.

Rates of wages per hour for 1912 showed the following increases per cent. compared with the periods indicated:

Industry 1899 1900 1910 Av. 1909

Cotton 01.5 31.4 11.1 01.5
Woolen 49.7 34.0 12.5 49.1
Silk 18.3 10.9 4.1 17.1

As regards recent years wages in the cotton industry were 4.5 per cent. lower in 1910 than in 1907; after 1907 they advanced continuously. In the woolen industry wages, following a decrease of 5.3 per cent. in 1908 as compared with 1907, have advanced continuously in recent years. In the silk industry, wages in 1908 decreased 25 per cent. as compared with 1907, but since 1908 they have advanced continuously.

The nominal full time hours per week in the principal occupations combined, not including finishing in the cotton industry of 1912, showed the following decreases per cent. compared with the periods indicated:

Industry 1899 1900 1910 Av. 1909

Cotton 8.1 7.1 1.8 7.0
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Silk 5.9 3.0 0.9 3.4

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THE PARADISE HILL

History is a term of sometimes vague meaning—wide in its application, or ever have been reservation. And there kinds as there are individual events marks upon the earth a course must continue new ways of approach to the labyrinthian past are found in Bethel, on where Sunday river join the Androscoggin upon farm, a couple of miles of Hill covered bridge. servations, with many a be made, are intended t of the natural laws and of the Universe. Marks today by individual oc ions that will be far to the occupant of a than events and lack of historic times now obsce

"Dec. 27th, 1912, the Rev. Mr. Low was reported from Daily Press as a historical address in Boston. I here present the book as follows:

"Boston, Dec. 27—Hoswell, speaking on nature, tonight addressed six historical, economic, biological, political and associations holding of this